"I live for those who love me,
For those who know me true,
For the Heaven that shines above me,
And waits my coming too;
For the cause that needs assistance,
For the wrongs that lack resistance,
For the future in the distance,
And the good that I can do."

Destruction of the Earth by Fire. According to the testimony of Prof. R. D. Hitchcook, in the July number of the Bibliotheca Sacra, natural phiof the Bibliotheca Sacra, natural philosophers have little cause to sneer at Peter's prophecy, that "the Heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat; the earth also, and the works that are therein, shall be burned up." In an article on "The Relations of Geology to Theology," he says, "the earth contains within itself the agencies necessary to its desolation by fire. Its crust is supposed to be several miles thick, while the interior is in a state of fusion, like lava. The 300 active volcances on the crust are the breathing holes on the crust are the breathing holes of the internal fire. At present, counteracting agencies prevent this lava from bursting forth. But let the order be issued for its liberation, and these vents will all belch forth fire and desolation. The works of man, glaring about and still holding the these vents will all belch forth fire and desolation. The works of man, in which we take so much pride, may be erumbled in a moment by the concussions of the crust. Liberated gases may combine explosively with the oxygen in the air, so that the Heavens should pass away with a great noise." He mentions in contirmation of the above statements, the well known fact of certain stars suddenly becoming very brilliant, and well known fact of certain stars sud-denly becoming very brilliant, and then gradually fading to their former dimness. Not longer ago than May of last year, a remarkable case of this kind occurred. A star of the eighth magnitude, in the constellation called the Northern Crown, all at once blazed into a star of the second mag-nitude, and in twelve days declined again to its original rank. From a careful observation conducted by experienced astronomers, indications were obtained that this star had been suddenly "enwrapped in flames of burning hydrogen. In consequence of some convulsion, it may be, enorof some convulsion, it may be, enormous quantities of gas were set free. A large part of this gas consisted of hydrogen, which was burning about the star in combination with some other element. As the free hydrogen made of cotton and whalebone." became exhausted, the flames gradually abated, and the star waned down to its former brightness. It seems, then, that there are known instances of worlds wrapped in flames. They ignite, burn fiercely, fade and disappear. Suppose, now, that for any reason a combustible gas should be evolved upon our planet. should be evolved upon our planet; there it might combine explosively with the oxygen of the atmosphere, or burn like the star of the Northern

that "the fact that the purification of the present world can render it a beautiful habitation, fit for the re-sidence of princes, renders probable the belief of many divines, that the redeemed will dwell upon this earth after the day of judgment."

Mr. Thackeray never began upon less than a quire of letter paper, Half of this he would cover with comic drawings; a fourth he would tear up into minute pieces, and on two or three slips of the remainder he would do his work—walking about the room at intervals with his hands the would do his work—walking about the room at intervals with his hands and one hundred dollars for the second, and woe begone expression of countenance. Some men bite their nails or the magistrate. others stab the sides of their study chairs with pen knives—others tear the fronts of their shirts—others eat blotting paper. One of the most recently, for the extraordinary sum of \$1,130, the highest price ever paid for a printed book in this country.

A copy of Eniots Indian Bible, a work which no living man can read, was sold at auction in New York, recently, for the extraordinary sum of \$1,130, the highest price ever paid for a printed book in this country.

A writer, dwelling on the impor-

Balwer eloquently says: "I cannot believe that earth is man's abiding place. It cannot be that our life, cast up by the ocean of eternity, is to float a moment upon its wave and sink into nothingness, else why is it that the glorious aspirations, which,

est—a woman's love; the dearest—a man's love; and the sweetest, long-est, strongest, dearest love—a 'love of a bonnet.'

Young lady-"Going to make a flower-bed here, Smithers? Why, it'll

quite spoil our croquet-grounds."
Gardener—"Well, that's your pa's orders, miss. He'll hev' it laid out for 'orticultur', not for 'usbandry."

Little Lotta is quite confident that her erring papa will return her missing money. She don't comprehend the uncertainties of the Lotta-ry of Life.

Stage driver's motto-Jam forte in omnibus.

The road to ruin-the highway to Pompeii.

A JUST REBUKE.—The Memphis (Tenn.) Avalanche, of a late date, contained the following pertinent and well-deserved rebuke:

"It has become quite fashionable of late for the newspapers to speak of the 'clerk of the weather.' We make no pretensions to self-righteousness—we despise sanctimonious hy-pocrisy—but to call Him who directs the storm, the whirlwind, the thunder and the lightnings—who sends the rain, the hail, the sleet, the snows, the harvest, the seasons, the fruits and flowers, the clerk of the weather, is a species of wickedness amounting to impiousness. It is sacrilege! It it scoffing. It is scandalous. It is irreverent. Call Him Jehovah, the Maker, the Creator, the Preserver, God Almighty, the Son of our ruler; but it is profane to call Him the clerk of the weather. Aye, He, as a clerk, will some day make a fearful account against those guilty of such blasphemy."

A terrible scene was enacted in the San Francisco police court on the 2d inst., when a prisoner stood up in the dock, drew a razor suddenly across his throat, and held it up in view of instantly taken below into the prison and a surgeon sent for. When taken down, and while the blood was yet pouring in a torrent from his throat, he stood partly up, staggering and striking at all who came within his reach; but before the physician arrived, he fell over and expired.

From different sources we condense the following: "Wanted—A young man to take charge of a pair of horses of a religious turn of mind." A school committee man writes: "We have a school house large enough to accommodate four hundred pupils four stories high." A newspaper says: "A child was run over by a made of cotton and whalebone." "Straps—Articles worn under the boots of gentlemen made of calf skin." An exchange, describing a celebration, says: "The procession was very fine and nearly two miles in length as was also the prayer of Dr. Perry, the chaplain."

"SINGULAR REVIVAL OF THE HEBREW RACE."—This is the singular title of a long sensation leader in the New York Herald, of Sunday. The Crown. Either case would meet the conditions of the prophecy. We think, therefore, that the words of Peter are amply illustrated by the latest discovery of astronomy."

The Professor remarks, moreover, that the first latest discovery of astronomy."

The Professor remarks, moreover, that the first latest lates affairs; August Belmont, the Chairman of the National Central Democratic Committee; and J. P Benjamin played a leading part in the late Southern Confederacy.

An exchange tells a story of a disconsolate widower, who, on seeing the remains of his last wife lowered into the grave, exclaimed, with tears in his eyes: "Well, I've lost gloves— I've lost umbrellas, yes, even cows and horses, but I never-no, neverhad anything to cut me like this!"

Corner loungers in Chicago are

A copy of Eliot's Indian Bible, a work which no living man can read,

A writer, dwelling on the impor-tance of small things, says that "he on his stomach on the ground, and gravel while he studied like the Old Serpent.—G. A. Sala, in Belgravia.

A writer, dwelling on the importance of small things, says that "he always takes note even of a straw, especially if there happens to be a especially if there happens to be a sherry cobbler at one end."

You may joke when you please, if you are careful to please when you

that the glorious aspirations, which, like angels from the temple of our heart, are forever wandering about unsatisfied?"

A young lady gives the following catalogue of different kinds of love: "The sweetest—a mother's love; the longest—a brother's love; the strongest—a woman's love; the dearest—a man's love; and the sweetest, long-Spring and Summer Fashions.

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April 2

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Nov 18

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It is composed entirely of simple and purely vegetable substances.

It has received over six thousand voluntary testimonials of its excellence, many of which are from physicians in high

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It is sold in half-pound bottles (the name blown in the glass) by Druggists and Dealers in Fancy Goods, everywhere, at

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March 13

INDIA RUBBER SCRUBBER.

INDIA RUBBER SURUBBER.

We have been appointed Selling Agents for BAYNE'S INDIA RUBBER SCRUBBER, and take pleasure in recommending it as the Ne Plus Ultra of scrubbing brushes. It will scrub a dirty floor in less time and do the work more effectually than any scrubber hitherto introduced. It only requires a trial to be appreciated. WM. A. WRIGHT, ESQ., Superintendent of Nickerson's Hotel, and A. M. HUNT, ESQ., of this city, certify that it is the perfection of scrubbers. Call and get one, or see it tried at store of May 14 J. & T. R. AGNEW.

EATING HOUSE AT ALSTON. PASSENGERS on the Greenville and Columbia Railroad, can get BREAK-FAST and DINNER at Alston—ample time being allowed.

Dec 27 MARY A. ELKIN & SON.

JUST RECEIVED

A T the Ladies' Industrial Association,
A Cheap CORSETS, of good shape; Corset Fronts, Tidey and Spool Cotton, Working Materials of great variety, and New Patterns for ladies' and children's underclothing. Orders are solicited from ladies and gentlemen, and every effort will be made to have them promptly filled.

April 3

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LOBSTERS.
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GRAND EXCURSION TO NEW YORK

ROUND TRIP TICKETS ONLY \$29. **预**参随 哈里斯哈

GEN'L. FREIGHT & TICKET AG'TS. OFFICE,
COLUMBIA, S. C., June 16, 1868.

PERSONS wishing to attend the National
Democratic Convention, to be held in
New York on the Fourth of July, proximo,
are informed that this Company has made
arrangements to issue ROUND TRIP
TICKETS, good from JUNE 20 to JULY
31, 1838, inclusive, at \$29 cach.

Tickets will be on sale, at this office, from
the morning of June 20 to the afternoon
of July 1, when they will be withdrawn.

E. R. DORSEY,
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Office John street.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

GEN'L SUPERINTEN'S OFFICE, S. C. R. R.,

December 11, 1867.

O'N and after this date the TARIFF by
the Great Southern- Freight Line,
FROM COLUMBIA, will be as follows, viz:
Cotton per bale, to New York. \$4.00

" Philadelphia, 4.00

" Baltimore. 3.25

This route is guaranteed as cheaper,
quicker and more reliable than any competing, while the difference of insurance,
not amounting to 20c., is over twice compensated by difference of rates.

H. T. PEAKE,
Dec 11 General Superintendent.

Reduction of Freight Rates by the

Reduction of Freight Rates by the Seaboard Inland Air Line Route.

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CHARLOTTE AND S. C. R. R. CO.,
GEN'L FREIGHT AND TICKET AGT'S OFFICE,
COLUMBIA, S. C., April 8, 1868.

THE following FREIGHT TARIFF, via
after this date:
To New York, first class, \$1.00; second
class, 90 cents; third class, 80 cents;
fourth class, 70 cents.

To Baltimore, first class, \$1.00; second
class, 90 cents; third class, 80 cents; fourth
class, 70 cents.

**To Baltimore, first class, \$0 cents; fourth
class, 70 cents.

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over this line at very low rates, as its
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General Freight and Ticket Agent.

April 9

REDUCTION OF RATES.

CHARLOTTE AND S. C. R. R. COMPANY, GEN'L FREIGHT AND TICKET AGT'S OFFICE, COLUMBIA, S. C., December 11, 1867.

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This route is cheaper, quicker and as reliable as any competing line.

The rates being the same, shippers save 32 cents per bale—estimating cotton at 16 cents per pound—in Marine Insurance, by having their cotton forwarded via this route.

E. R. DORSEY,

Dec 12 Gen. Freight and Trans. Agent.

Reduction of Freight Tariff by the Great Southern Freight Line.

O N and after APRIL 7th, 1868, the following FREIGHT TARIFF will be observed:
From New York to Columbia, first class, per 100 lbs., \$1.00; second class, 90 cents; third class, 80 cents; fourth class, 76 cents; fifth class, 70 cents.
From Baltimore to Columbia, first class, per 100 lbs., \$1; second class, 90 cents; third class, 80 cents; fourth class, 70 cents; fifth class 70 cents; fifth class 70 cents; fifth class 70 cents.

H. T. PEAKE,
April 8 General Sup. S. C. R. R.

Philadelphia—Ticket office Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Rail-road, and Continental Hotel.

Baltimore—Ticket office Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Camden Station, or on the boats of the "Old Bay Line." To avoid heat and dust, and make sure and safe connections, ask for ckets over this route.

C. BOUKNIGHT, General Superintendent.

E. R. Dorsey, General Freight and Ticket Agent.

June 2

Coming South Read Up.

6.00 A. M. 11.35 P. M. 11.35 P. M.

LEAVE.

7.30 P. M. 4.15 " 12.00 M.

8.36 A. M.

ARRIVE.

4.45 A. M.

5.50 P. M. 3.45 "

12.00 M.

7.02

CONDENSED TIME TABLE

Going North Read Down.

11.05 P. M. 11.35 " 4.45 A. M. 5.30 A. M. 5.00 P. M. 8.50 P. M.

6.15 A. M. 7.45 A. M. 9.10 ... 9.45 ...

1.32 P. M. 1.32 P. M. Philadelphia

ARRIVE.

5.08

principal hotels.

tickets over this route.

GENERAL SUPTS OFFICE,
CHARLESTON, S. C., March 28, 1868.

PASSENGER TRAINS will run as follows, viz:
Leave Charleston for Columbia. 6.39 a. m.

March 21 H. T. PEAKE, Gen'l Sup't.

Change of Schedule on G. & C. R. R.

.. 5.15

OF CHARLOTTE AND SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD COMPANY.

VIA GREENSBORO AND DANVILLE.

TERMINALS.

. Columbia....

Charlotte

Greensboro

Washington

Baltimore

.. Richmond,

.....New York.....

9.31 A. M. | 9.35 A. M. | Raleigh | 3.15 P. M. | 3.20 P. M. | 3.30 P. M. | Weldon | 10.35 A. M. | 10.40 A. M. | Portsmorth | 3.05 P. M. 3.30 P. M. Weldon 10.35 A. M. 10.40 A. M. 7.30 " Portsmouth 6.00 " 6.30 " 6.30 " 1.32 P. M. 1.32 P.

VIA PORTSMOUTH AND ANNAMESSIC LINE.

7.30 P. M. 7.30 P. M. Portsmouth 6.00 A. M. 6.30 A. M. 2.30 A. M. 2.45 A. M. Crisfield 10.45 P. M. 10.45 P. M. 8.03 "8.10 "Wilmington, Delaware 4.45 "5.05 "9.25 "9.30 "Philadelphia 3.35 "3.35 "1.08 P. M. New York 11.56 A. M. 11.56 A. M. 11.56 A. M. Som OPTIONAL TICKETS to all points North, good over either route named above, can be had on application at the Ticket Office, foot of Blanding street. BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH.

For tickets to Columbia and all points South, via this route, apply as follows, viz:

New York—Ticket office 193 Broadway. A. Stewart, Agent.
Ticket office New Jersey Railroad—Foot of Courtland street, or at the

AND ITS CONNECTIONS, TO PRINCIPAL NORTHERN CITIES

SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD. South Carolina Railroad.

> GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD, THE FOLLOWING FREIGHT TARIFF from Nashville and Chattanooga to Columbia will take effect from and after this date:

Leave Charleston for Columbia. 6.30 a. m.
Arrive at Kingsville. 1.30 p. m.
Leave Kingsville. 2.00 p. m.
Arrive at Columbia. 3.50 p. m.
Leave Columbia. 6.00 a. m.
Arrive at Columbia. 7.30 a. m.
Leave Kingsville. 7.30 a. m.
Leave Kingsville. 8.00 p. m.
Arrive at Charleston. 3.10 p. m.
Arrive at Charleston. 3.10 p. m.
Arrive at Charleston. 3.10 p. m.
Arrive at Charleston MONDAYS,
WEDNESDAYS and Wilmington and Manchester Railroad Trains on MONDAYS,
WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS.
Night Express Freight and Passenger
Accommodation Train will run as follows:
Leave Charleston for Columbia. 5.40 p. m.
Arrive at Columbia. 6.05 a. m.
Leave Columbia. 5.30 p. m.
Arrive at Charleston. 5.40 a. m.
March 21 H. T. PEAKE, Gen'l Sup't. bushel. 493 323
Pork and beef per barrel. \$2,57 \$1.92
Flour, apples, onions and
potatoes per barrel. 1.59 1,19
Whiskey, high wines and
alcohol. 3.95 2.95
(Signed,) H. T. PEAKE,
May 7 General Superintendent.

Charlotte & South Carolina R. R. Co.

Office North Carolina Railroad Co., COMPANY SHOPS, APRIL 1, 1868.

N and after this date, the following will be the schedule for PASSENGER TRAINS over this road:
Leave Charlotte daily at. 11.36 p. m.

"Greensboro at. 5.05 a. m.

"Raleigh at. 9.41 "
Arrive at Goldsboro at. 12.25 p. m.
Leave Goldsboro at. 12.30 "

"Raleigh at. 3.20 "

"Raleigh at. 7.17 "
Arrive at Charlotte at. 11.35 p. m.

Through Passengers by this line have choice of routes via Greensboro and Danville to Richmond, or via Raleigh and Weldon to Richmond or Portsmouth; arriving at all points North of Richmond at the same time by either route. Connection is made at Goldsboro with Passenger Trains on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad to and from Wilmington, and by Freight Train to Weldon. Also to Newbern, on A. & N. C. Road. Freight Trains will leave Charlotte at 2 a. m. and arrive 6.20 p. m.

April 11 JAS. ANDERSON, Sup't.

Change of Schedule on G. & C. R. R. Office North Carolina Railroad Co.,

ding street.

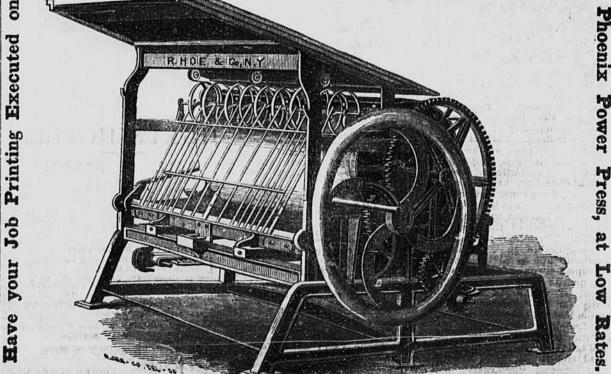
An Accommodation Train will be run as follows:

Leave Columbia on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 A. M., arriving at Charlotte at 6.35 P. M.

Returning—leave Charlotte on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Baturdays at 6 A. M., arriving at Columbia at 5.05 P. M.

Passengers taking the 6 A. M. Train from Charlotte can connect with Night Train of South Carolina Road for Charleston. Passengers from Charleston can—by leaving the South Carolina Train at Junction—connect with the 7 A. M. Train from Columbia. CALEB BOURNIGHT, April Superintendent.

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